



## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
 United States Patent and Trademark Office  
 Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
 www.uspto.gov



Bib Data Sheet

CONFIRMATION NO. 3673

<b>SERIAL NUMBER</b> 10/627,098	<b>FILING OR 371(c) DATE</b> 07/25/2003 <b>RULE</b>	<b>CLASS</b> 398	<b>GROUP ART UNIT</b> 2631	<b>ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.</b> 1-2-2
------------------------------------	---	---------------------	-------------------------------	-------------------------------------

**APPLICANTS**  
 Noriaki Kaneda, Eatontown, NJ;  
 Ut-Va Koc, Bridgewater, NJ;  
 Kun-Yii Tu, Summit, NJ;

**\*\* CONTINUING DATA \*\*\*\*\*** *RJB*  
*None*

**\*\* FOREIGN APPLICATIONS \*\*\*\*\*** *RJB*  
*None*

**IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED**  
**\*\* 10/29/2003**

Foreign Priority claimed <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no 35 USC 119 (a-d) conditions met <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> Met after Verified and Acknowledged <i>Ralph Scanlon</i> Allowance <i>Burt</i> Examiner's Signature <i>RJB</i> Initials	<b>STATE OR COUNTRY</b> NJ	<b>SHEETS DRAWING</b> 3	<b>TOTAL CLAIMS</b> 22	<b>INDEPENDENT CLAIMS</b> 4
--	-------------------------------	----------------------------	---------------------------	--------------------------------

**ADDRESS**  
 Ryan, Mason & Lewis, LLP  
 Suite 205  
 1300 Post Road  
 Fairfield, CT06824

**TITLE**  
 Method and apparatus for electronic equalization in optical communication systems

<b>FILING FEE RECEIVED</b> 870	FEES: Authority has been given in Paper No. _____ to charge/credit DEPOSIT ACCOUNT No. _____ for following:	<input type="checkbox"/> All Fees <input type="checkbox"/> 1.16 Fees ( Filing ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.17 Fees ( Processing Ext. of time ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.18 Fees ( Issue ) <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Credit
-----------------------------------	---	---